Committee action the following bills: H.R. 2220, to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the Administrator to make contributions for construction projects on land adjacent to national cemeteries in order to facilitate safe ingress or egress; H.R. 2506, to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for a 5-year extension to permit States to apply for Federal aid in establishing, expanding, or improving State veterans' cemeteries; H.R. 2505, to amend title 38. United States Code, to permit substitution of a veteran's housing loan entitlement when the veteran-transferee is not an immediate transferee; a bill to provide financial relief to unemployed veteran homeowners facing foreclosure, and a bill to permit VA guaranteed loans on manufactured housing; H.R. 2618, amended, to amend chapter 37 of title 38, United States Code, to authorize the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to provide mortgage assistance to veterans with loans guaranteed by the Veterans' Administration in order to avoid foreclosure of such loans, and H.R. 2664, to amend title 38, United States Code, to expand the availability of loans guaranteed by the Veterans' Administration for the purchase of manufactured homes that are permanently affixed to a lot.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

Will continue May 3.

CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES: BEGINNING THE ASSESSMENT

Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families: Held a hearing on Children, Youth, and Families: Beginning the Assessment. Testimony was heard from Alice M. Rivlin, Director, CBO; Bruce Chapman, Director, Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce, and public witnesses.

Joint Meeting

HIGH COST OF CAPITAL

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings to review the impact on the high cost of capital as a result of the 1981 tax law changes, after receiving testimony from George Hatsopoulos, Thermo Electron Corporation, Waltham, Massachusetts, on behalf of the American Business Conference.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Eight bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1185-1192, S.J. Res. 90, and S. Con. Res. 30.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 216, to amend title 18, United States Code, to combat, deter, and punish individuals who adulterate or otherwise tamper with food, drug, cosmetic, and other products with intent to cause personal injury, death, or other harm, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 98–69)

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First Budget Resolution for 1984: Senate began consideration of S. Con. Res. 27, revising and replacing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 1983, and setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1984, 1985, and 1986.

Senate will continue consideration of the current resolution on Tuesday, May 3.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President:

- (1) Reporting on developments concerning the national emergency with respect to Iran. Referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (PM-43)
- (2) Transmitting annual report for 1982 of the Federal Council on the Aging. Referred to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources. (PM-44)
- (3) Transmitting a governing international fishery agreement between the United States and the German Democratic Republic, signed on April 13, 1983. Referred (pursuant to Public Law 94-265) jointly to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, and the Committee on Foreign Relations. (PM-45)

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Robert B. Keating, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Democratic Republic of Madagascar, and to serve concurrently as Ambassador to the Federal and Islamic Republic of the Comoros.

James J. Needham, of New York, for the rank of Ambassador during the tenure of his service as Commissioner General of the United States Exhibition for the International Exposition, Tsukuba, Japan, 1985. Daniel G. Amstutz, of New York to be Under Secretary of Agriculture for International Affairs and Commodity Programs.

Madeleine C. Will, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary for Special Education and Rehabilitative

Services, Department of Education.

Bobby Ray Baldock, to be U.S. District Judge for the District of New Mexico.

George W. Proctor, to be U.S. Attorney for the Eastern District of Arkansas.

4 Army nominations in the rank of General.

1 Air Force nomination in the rank of General.

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Recess: Senate convened at 12 noon, and recessed at 4:26 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, May 3, 1983.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—COUNCIL ON HISTORIC PRESERVATION/MINERALS MANAGEMENT SERVICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the Interior and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1984, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Robert R. Garvey, Executive Director, Advisory Council on Historic Preservation; and Daniel N. Miller, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Energy and Minerals.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, May

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR/HHS/EDUCATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies resumed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1984 for those programs which fall within the jurisdiction of the subcommittee, receiving testimony from numerous public witnesses. Subcommittee also met on Friday, April 29.

Hearings continue on tomorrow.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic and Theater Nuclear Forces resumed open and closed hearings on S. 675, authorizing funds for fiscal year 1984 for the Department of Defense, fo-

cusing on space defense programs, receiving testimony from Senators Wallop, Armstrong, and Pressler; Robert Cooper, Director, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency; Charles Cook, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Space Plans and Policy; William Hoehn, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Policy; John L. Gardner, Director, Defensive Systems, Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Research and Engineering; Edward Teller, Hoover Institution, Stanford, California; Lieutenant General Daniel Graham, USA (Ret.), High Frontiers, Inc., Washington, D.C.; and Richard Garwin, Thomas J. Waston Research Center, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

GEOTHERMAL ENERGY

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources held hearings on S. 883 and S. 558, bills to expedite exploration and development of geothermal resources, receiving testimony from Arnold Petty, Deputy Director for Management Services, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; J. B. Hilmon, Associate Deputy Chief, U.S. Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; R. Gordon Bloomquist, Washington State Energy Office, Olympia; Paul C. Pritchard, National Parks and Conservation Association, Washington, D.C.; E. William Cole, Union Oil Company of California, Los Angeles; Robert L. Wright, Phillips Petroleum Company, Bartlessville, Oklahoma, on behalf of the Western Oil and Gas Association; Garland Robbins, Sunoco Energy Development Company (SUNEDCO), Dallas, Texas; and Charles T. Condy, California Energy Company, Santa Rosa.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

RADIOACTIVE WASTE DISPOSAL

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development resumed oversight hearings on the President's budget request for fiscal year 1984 for the Department of Energy's research and development programs, focusing on commercial nuclear waste management and spent fuel storage programs, receiving testimony from Robert L. Morgan, Project Director, Nuclear Waste Policy Act Project Office, Department of Energy; John G. Davis, Director, Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards, Nuclear Regulatory Commission; James F. Devine, Assistant Director, Engineering Geology, George Dinwiddie, Coordinator, High Level Waste Programs, and Eugene H. Rosebloom Jr., Deputy Chief of Radiation Waste Program, all of the U.S. Geological Survey, Department of the Interior; and Glen L. Sjoblom, Director, Office of Radiation Programs, Environmental Protection Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

WATER PROJECTS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Water and Power concluded hearings on the following bills:

S. 805, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct, operate, and maintain the Santa Margarita Project in California, after receiving testimony from Senator Wilson; Chase Untermeyer, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Installations and Facilities; Lt. General Harold A. Hatch, Deputy Chief of Marine Corps Staff for Installations and Logistics; Leo Maguire and Gorden Tinker, both of the Fallbrook Public Utility District, Fallbrook, California; Lindon Burzell, San Diego County Water Authority, San Diego, California; and John Vanderwalker, Platte River Whooping Crane Habitat Maintenance Trust, Grand Island, Nebraska;

S. 622, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to undertake feasibility investigations, after receiving testimony from J. W. O'Meara, National Water Resources Association, Brent Blackwelder, Environmental Policy Center, and Edward Osann, National Wildlife Federation, all of Washington, D.C.

S. 662, to provide for confirmation of the repayment contract of the Dallas Creek participating project of the Upper Colorado storage project, after receiving testimony from William J. McDonald, Colorado Department of Natural Resources, Denver; and Theodore L. Brooks, Tri-County Conservancy, Montrose, Colorado; and

S. 818, to authorize the replacement of existing pump casings in Robert B. Griffith water project pumping plants 1A and 2A (formerly the southern Nevada water project), after receiving testimony from Duane Sudweeks, Nevada Colorado River Commission, and Donald L. Paff, Las Vegas Valley Water District, both of Las Vegas, Nevada.

Testimony was also received on all the aforementioned bills from Robert N. Broadbent, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: On Friday, April 29, Subcommittee on Taxation and Debt Management concluded hearings on the following bills:

S. 249, to make permanent and extend the excluding from income for amounts paid under educational assistance programs, after receiving testimony from M. E. Nichols, Communications Workers of America (AFL-CIO), and Dale Parnell, American Association of Community and Junior Colleges, both of Washington, D.C.; Michael Maibach, Caterpillar Tractor Co., Chicago, Illinois; Philip Stone, Carolina

Power and Light Co., Raleigh, North Carolina; and Barbara Horrell, Health Science Center of Missouri, Columbia: and

S. 825, to exclude income from the sale of membership lists from the unrelated business income tax on nonprofit organizations, after receiving testimony from John F. Heilman, Disabled American Veterans, Steve Dawson, American Kidney Fund, Donald C. Alexander, Morgan, Lewis & Bockius, and William J. Lehrfeld, Lehrfeld & Henzke, on behalf of AMVETS (American Veterans of World II, Korea and Vietnam), Inc., all of Washington, D.C.; and David A. Goldstein, Epilepsy Foundation of America, Landover, Maryland.

Testimony was also received on both the above bills from William S. McKee, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Tax Policy.

CSIS SOVIET PROJECT

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in closed session to receive a briefing on CSIS Soviet Project (Center for Strategic and International Studies, Georgetown University) from officials of the CSIS, and made no announcements.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Malcolm R. Barnebey, of Texas, to be Ambassador to Belize, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Governmental Affairs: On Friday, April 29, the Subcommittee on Civil Service, Post Office, and General Services approved for full committee consideration S. 905, to establish the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) as an independent agency in the executive branch.

CLAIMS SETTLEMENT/PRIVATE RELIEF/ NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee approved for reporting the following:

S. 195, providing for the relief of six named employees of the Department of the Navy;

S. 969, to raise the claim settlement authority for the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration; and

The nomination of Edward S. G. Dennis, Jr., to be U.S. Attorney for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

VOLUNTARY SCHOOL PRAYER

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on the Constitution concluded hearings on S.J. Res. 73, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United

States relating to voluntary prayer in public schools, after receiving testimony from Terrel H. Bell, Secretary of Education; Michael Malbin, American Enterprise Institute, James Dunn, Baptist Committee on Public Affairs, Robert P. Dugan, Jr., National Association of Evangelicals, Dick Dingman, The Moral Majority, Bernie Freitag, National Education Association, and Gary Jarmin, Christian Voice, all of Washington, D.C.; Burke Marshall, Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut; and Gail Merel, representing the Bar Association of New York City.

Also, on Friday, April 29, the subcommittee began hearings on S.J. Res. 73, receiving testimony from Edward Schmultz, Deputy Attorney General, Department of Justice; Robert Cord, Northeastern University, Boston, Massachusetts; Bonnie Bailey, Lubbock High School, Lubbock, Texas; William P. Thompson, United Presbyterian Church, U.S.A., New York City; and Walter Dellinger, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina.

AUDIO AND VIDEO RENTAL

Committee on the Judiciary: On Friday, April 29, the Sucommittee on Patents, Copyrights and Trademarks held hearings on S. 32 and S. 33, bills to prohibit the owner of certain audio-visual equipment from renting, leasing, or lending for commercial advantage without the authorization of the copyright owner, receiving testimony from David L. Ladd, Register of Copyrights, Copyright Office, Library of Congress; Jack Valenti, Motion Picture Association of America, Inc., Jack Wayman, Electronic Industries Association, and Nina Cornell, Cornell, Pelcovits & Brenner, all of Washington, D.C.; Mel Harris, Paramount Pictures Corporation, Los Angeles, California; Peter Nolan, Walt Disney Telecommunications and Non-Theatrical Company, Burbank, California; Stephen Roberts, Twentieth Century-Fox Telecommunications, Beverly Hills, California; Robert McEwen, Boston College, Chestnut Hills, Massachusetts; Harry First, New York University School of Law, Stanley Gortikov, Recording Industry Association of America, Inc., Sal Chiantia, National Music Publishers' Association, and George D. Weiss, American Guild of Authors and Composers, all of New York City; Frank Barnako, Video Software Dealers Association, McLean, Virginia; Ron Berger, National Video Inc., Portland, Oregon; and John Marmaduke, Western Merchandisers Hastings, Amarillo, Texas, on behalf of the National Association of Recording Merchandisers.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 13 public bills, H.R. 2846–2858; 2 private bills, H.R. 2859 and 2860; and 1 resolution, H.J. Res. 255, were introduced.

Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Wright as Speaker pro tempore for today. Page 15556

Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Washington of Illinois wherein he resigns as a member of the 98th Congress, effective April 30.

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Presidential Messages: Received and read the following messages from the President:

Older Americans: Message wherein the President transmits the Annual Report for 1982 of the Federal Council on the Aging—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor; and

Iranian national emergency: Message wherein the President reports to Congress concerning the developments of the national emergency in Iran between November 1, 1982, and mid-April 1983—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee. Page 10569

Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 1 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held a hearing on General Provisions. Testimony was heard from Manuel Briskin, Assistant General Counsel for Fiscal Matters, Office of the General Counsel, Department of Defense.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on Geological Survey; on the National Park Service Historic Preservation and National Recreation and Preservation. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS and Education held a hearing on Departmental Management; Office of the Inspector General and Office for Civil Rights and Policy Research. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems met in executive session and approved for full Committee action H.R. 2797, to authorize appropriations for the Department of Energy for national security programs for fiscal year 1984. The Subcommittee began markup of Title I, Procurement, of H.R. 2287 Department of Defense Authorization Act, 1984.

Will continue tomorrow.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session and approved for full Committee action as amended Title II, Research, Development, Test and Evaluation of H.R. 2287, Department of Defense Authorization Act, 1984.

SUPERFUND

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing to review the Environmental Protection Agency's mining waste policy for Superfund and the Agency's action to protect public health and safety at the Globe, Arizona and Tar Creek, Oklahoma national priority list sites; and examine recent EPA efforts to improve the effectiveness of the Superfund program. Testimony was heard from Senator DeConcini; Dr. Vernon Houk, Acting Director, Centers for Disease Control, Department of Health and Human Services; from the following officials of the EPA: Lee Thomas, Acting Deputy Administrator and Assistant Administrator for Solid Waste and Emergency Response; William Hedeman, Director, Office of Emergency and Remedial Response, and Eugene Lucero, Director, Office of Waste Program Enforcement, and public witnesses.

EXPORT ADMINISTRATION ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade continued markup of H.R. 2761, to amend the authorities contained in the Export Administration Act of 1979.

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On April 29, the Subcommittee continued markup of H.R. 2761.

LEGAL SERVICES CORPORATION ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Civil Liberties, and the Administration of Justice approved for full Committee action he introduction of a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 2719, Legal Services Corporation Act of 1983.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment approved for full Committee action the following bills 2395, amended, to extend the Wetlands Loan Act; H.R. 2784, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Atlantic Tunas Convention Act of 1975 during fiscal years 1984, 1985, and 1986.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on H.R. 2809, to establish a U.S. Fish and Wildlife Foundation. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

NATIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON OCEANS AND ATMOSPHERE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: On April 29, the Subcommittee on Oceanography held a hearing on H.R. 2722, to amend the National Advisory Committee on Oceans and Atmosphere Act of 1977 to authorize appropriations to carry out the provisions of such act for fiscal years 1984–85. Testimony was heard from Tom Maginnis, Director, Office of Policy and Planning, NOAA, Department of Commerce and public witnesses.

NUCLEAR FREEZE

Committee on Rules: Heard testimony from Chairman Zablocki, Representatives Broomfield, Markey, Dicks, Walker, Carney, Lungren, Porter, and Hunter, but took no further action on H.J. Res. 13, calling for a mutual and verifiable freeze on and reductions in nuclear weapons.

CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET PROCESS

Committee on Rules: On April 29, the Task Force on the Budget Process held a hearing on the Congressional Budget Process. Testimony was heard from former Representative Brock Adams and public witnesses.

JOINT SERVICES ADVANCED VERTICAL LIFT

Committee on Science and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials held a hearing on Joint Services Advanced Vertical Wing (JVX) Program. Testimony was heard from Dr. Hans Mark, Deputy Administrator, NASA; VAdm. E. R. Seymour, USN, Commander, Naval Air Systems Command and public witnesses.